

## **Attachment 6**

### **Summary of Needs Assessment Results**

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The following table summarizes the project performance results that are of primary interest to MTC because they represent the more significant investment decisions in terms of cost or because the projects are regional in nature. Specifically, the table features evaluation results for projects subjected to the detailed evaluation that (a) cost at least \$25 million; b) mainly addressed the efficient operations or reliability objectives; or (c) are truly regional in scope, such as the regional 511 Traveler Information program. Recall that projects in the detailed needs assessment include major capacity expansions, significant operational improvements, projects that close gaps in regional transportation networks, and projects with significant implications for environmental justice or smart growth. Because many projects that address the operations and reliability objectives are lower-cost by nature but may still have considerable impacts, it is important to show projects costing under \$25 million in the regional summary. The last pages of the summary list all projects that are regionwide in scope.

Projects are listed by county. Within each county, projects are grouped by the main objective addressed. Projects rating high for the objective in question are listed at the top of each section. Lower rated projects are listed toward the bottom. While this presentation facilitates a general comparison of projects aiming to achieve similar ends, it should not be read as a strict ranking since the individual objectives have not been weighted.